"In the Valley of the Moon"

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Lightning Strikes Schellville Man

Float of Bear Flag In San Francisco Parade September 9th

Impressive Rites to Mark Dedication of St. Francis Church

SONOMA'S HISTORY TO BE OFFERING OF THE N. S. G. W.

Native Daughter of Sonoma County Will Participate In Admission Day Celebration.

The Native Sons and Daughters of Sonoma county will feature the Bear Flag incident as the idea of a historic float to be entered September 9th in the Admission Day Parade at San Francisco.

The committees arranging Sonoma county's participation decided that the raising of the famous flag on the Plaza here in 1846 was the most important and picturesque event which could be depicted in the parade of Californians. Local members of the committee are Mrs. A. W. Adler and Miss Dorothy Breitenbach; Louis H. Green, L. Bosch and Bert Kerner. The escort of the parade feature consisting of Native Sons and Daughters from various Sonoma county parlors, will wear pioneer costumes.

Sonoma will get much good publicity in San Francisco through the float and also from the Pony Express race, details of which are in charge of George Millerick of Schellville. Many of the riders who will dash into San Francisco as in days of old will be fearless horsemen from the Millerick outfit of Sonoma Valley.

There is much local interest in the Pony Express and it is predicted here that a Millerick rider will relay the mail in record breaking time.

Will be Bridesmaid At Wedding in S. F.

Miss Sabina Sebastiani is in San Francisco this week, preparing for the wedding of her cousin, Miss Eleanor Mei, at which she will be one of four bridesmaids. Miss Sebastiani will wear Nile green moire combined with georgette, picture hat and silver slippers. The wedding will be an elaborate affair, solemnized on Sept. 3rd. The groom is Frank Badaracco, who holds a responsible position with the Southern Pacific.

A dinner at the Woman's Athletic Club in San Francisco is scheduled today complimentary to the bride-to-be. Miss Sebastiani and Miss Blanche Bianchini of Sonoma will attend.

Want Chief Cause to Go to Virginia

Friends and admirers of Chief W. B. Cause of Boyes Springs, want to see him attend the International Fire Chiefs' Association convention, to convene at Richmond, Virginia, in October. The Chief is one of the two chiefs in the county to belong to the international organization and would be the only one to attend. His fame as an effective booster for this part of California would make his presence there invaluable, say his friends.

Ways and means are being worked out whereby Chief Cause may get this deserved vacation with his expenses paid, and incidentally boost Sonoma county while on the trip.

Central Bank Makes Many Improvements

Former Sonoma Valley Bank Building's Interior Reconstructed Along Up-To-Date Lines.

Doing business and giving good service to its customers in the midst of extensive alterations and improvements, the Central Bank is now nearing the completion of the work which will transform the former Sonoma Valley Bank's headquarters into a beautiful and up-to-date banking house.

The old vault has been torn out and a massive re-inforced structure built by Contractor P. Basaglia. Three hundred new safe deposit boxes are being installed. A retinue of carpenters, painters and plumbers have been working on new quarters for directors and a consultation room; also on a modern rest room for ladies.

The carpenters have made ready for the marble wainscoating and screening which is now being installed. The new wickets are of bronze. Marble used in the bank is ofselected Tennessee quarrying and will make a rich and substantial interior.

Manager Andrew Smith and his efficient assistants keep smiling through all the confusion and say business is good and that they appreciate the indulgence of the public during the construction days.

A new member of the local advisory board of the Central Bank is Dr. A. M. Thomson.

SCHELLVILLE HIGHWAY BIDS RE-ADVERTISED

Suspecting a combine of contractors who submitted bids on the Schellville-Beltane Highway and the lowest bid being $38,000 above the estimate of state engineers, the State Highway Commission decided not to let the contract and have re-advertised for bids.

Highway Commissioner Toy stated yesterday in telephonic conversation with the Index-Tribune that the figures on new bids would be in as soon as advertised the required number of times and that he had assurance that better figures would be secured. Mr. Toy assured Sonoma Valley that the road work would be completed by spring, notwithstanding the delay on account of the re-advertising.

Hopkes Had Enjoyable Trip to Honolulu

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hopke had a delightful trip to the Hawaiian Islands this summer. They encountered good weather on the steamer and had a three weeks' stay. It was Mr. Hopke's first trip in 29 years, but due to his wide acquaintance there, where he was formerly associated with the Spreckels interests, he was the recipient of much entertainment, accorded him and his wife by old friends.

The volcano, plantations and many points of interest were visited by the Sonoma sight seers.

John Yenni, Jr., Had A Narrow Escape; Trees and Buildings Were Also Struck.

Sonoma Valley experienced one of the heaviest and most spectacular thunder and lightning storms in years last Monday night and early Tuesday morning. The storm was accompanied by heavy showers.

No great damage was done, but John Yenni, young dairyman of Schellville, had a narrow escape when struck by lightning and rendered unconscious while sleeping in a steel frame bed at the Yenni ranch near Schellville. He was hit on the arm and it was some time before he could be revived.

At the Spreckels ranch Tuesday morning a huge tree was struck and fell before the eyes of Earl Revie, who himself had a narrow escape.

A giant cypress tree on the Rotenberg ranch, formerly the R. B. Thomas place, was splintered by the electric storm and one limb went crashing through the roof of the Rotenberg home.

At Boyes Springs the lightning ran down the flag pole into the bath house and blew out a number of fuses, putting the bath house out of commission for business the following day.

A barn on the former Spindler ranch was struck and an incipient blaze had to be extinguished.

Old residents agree that the freak weather is the strangest in years.

The Centennial Deficit

The committee named to collect money which must clear the $10,000 deficit of the Sonoma Mission Centennial urgently requests the help and cooperation of all citizens of Sonoma Valley in meeting the obligation, thus easing the burden which falls on the underwriters. Most of those who pledged $100 or more to put on the celebration did not hope to directly benefit and were inspired by public spirit alone to back the project. The burden should not fall on the underwriters alone, but should be assumed by all who will share in the ultimate prosperity of the Valley through the centennial and both its remote and immediate benefits. Public spirited citizens are therefore requested to call at any of the Sonoma Banks the coming week and contribute toward the fund to meet the deficit.

Sonoma Valley is not the only community that has found itself facing a deficit after promoting celebrations of this character.

In Sonoma Valley's case it was a first experience, but all will agree the Centennial was a glorious success. While expenses in some instances might have been curtailed, the personnel of the executive committee, composed of ten leading citizens, including three bankers, in a guarantee of the legitimacy of all official acts.

If you donated prior to the celebration and feel you can give more, your assistance at this time will evidence fine community spirit and fellowship. If you have neither underwritten nor contributed, come forward at once and do your part.

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Meeting Of Farm Center Instructive

Sonoma Farmers Addressed by County Agent Wineland and S. Green of the Dairy Council.

Farmers of Sonoma Valley had the opportunity for much inspiring and instructive information from the talk given by County Agent Wineland and Sam Green, secretary and manager of the California Dairy Council, at the Sonoma Grammar School Wednesday night.

Chairman Frank Wedekind opened the meeting, introducing Mr. Wineland. The speaker outlined the three stages of farming development in California: exploitation, specialization and diversification.

"No county can grow the same crop all the time," declared Wineland. "The land wears out."

Mr. Green traced the evolution of farming from 1861-65, when farmers grew their own food, made their own shoes, clothes, etc., and traded their surplus for things they could not raise. He stressed the point that in the '60's produce was used within a radius of 35 miles where grown, while with modern transportation facilities produce now finds its way around the world.

Green warned of the danger of single crop farming and pointed to Herbert Hoover's scientific rotation plan to harvest a different crop every month off his 2300 acre ranch in Kern county.

In regard to dairy conditions and prices, Green said you cannot fix prices of farm produce by law, but the man who produces a gallon of milk the cheapest is the man who will get ahead. He urged all farmers to get better cows, to feed them better and get better sires for their herds. A pure bred sire drive will be put on during September. Dairymen will be aided in buying pure bred bulls.

PROMINENT S. F. MAN GOLF CLUB DIRECTOR

Adam Bianchi, prominent and wealthy San Francisco business man, has been named a director of the Valley of the Moon Golf and County Club. Mr. Bianchi and his wife, who is the beautiful and talented operatic singer, have been coming to Sonoma Valley for many years to visit Mr. Bianchi's uncle, the late S. Cuicci, and family. They came to love Sonoma Valley and are now most enthusiastic over the new Mission Inn, the Golf Club and entire project which promises to attract tourists from everywhere. While here recently, Jack Walton took Mr. Bianchi out to the golf links and played him a game of golf. Jack converted his genial San Francisco relative straightway and now Bianchi is a director and booster for the Valley of the Moon Club.

Non-support is the charge against E. Castagnasso, filed by his wife this week in Judge Small's court. The Castagnasso's have two children. The husband declares he will fight the case.

VISITING CLERGYMEN AND CATHOLIC ORDERS WILL PARTICIPATE

New Church Will Be Dedicated By Archbishop Hanna on Sunday, September 9th.

Impressive ceremonies will attend the dedication of Sonoma's new St. Francis church on Sunday morning, Sept. 9th, at 11 o'clock. Archbishop Hanna will conduct the dedicatory services, assisted by prominent visiting clergymen and a male choir from St. Patrick's Seminary, Menlo Park. There will also be present several prominent Catholic societies, including the Serra Club and Knights of Columbus.

The new church is a handsome structure and in less than a year following the destruction of the frame church by fire, has been built and in use for services. The formal dedication on Sunday week will be largely attended by parishioners and their friends, the public in general being cordially invited to participate.

On the evening of September 9th, Father Lewis of the Dominican order will open a mission at St. Francis church for the Catholic people, to last one week.

Another Dance Sept. 8 By Glen Ellen Club

The gracious hostesses of the Glen Ellen Women's Improvement Club announce another dance of the series being given monthly to pay off the Jack London memorial debt. The dance will be on Saturday night, September 8th, and splendid music from Santa Rosa has been engaged for the event.

Refreshments will be served at 11 o'clock and will be a pleasing interlude of the dance.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present and participate in the social festivities of the evening.

Call School Bond Election October 1

The trustees of the Sonoma Grammar School will issue a call for election to vote $25,000 for additions and improvements on the present school building, the election date being on Monday, October 1st.

Greater attendance makes more school room necessary and the heating and ventilating plants must be modernized, declare the trustees. The primary classes are now housed in the basement. School opens Tuesday.

Resident Tract Lots Sell Good

H. H. Hunt reports 20 lots sold in his beautiful Monte Vista tract southeast of town. This desirable residence property was originally owned by the Chase family. A contract to grade and gravel streets in the tract has been let.

Mr. Hunt has a San Francisco agent handling the Monte Vista tract and goes to the city once a week to personally interview prospective buyers.

Attorney Frank Sprague believes in being on the ground floor whenever possible, so he has rented three rooms from Otto Wagner on the west side of the Plaza and will have his home and offices there.

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EL VERANO NEWS

By ARCHIBALD McKIVER

Mrs. J. Steckmeyer has returned after a pleasant visit with relatives in Napa.

Miss Irene Dowdall of Concord is spending a vacation with El Verano relatives.

George Walker, musician, has left for Vallejo, to accept a position in that city.

W. J. Minkel recently visited friends and transacted business in San Francisco.

Mrs. Dakin and son of Schellville were S. P. passengers for Berkeley last week.

Charles Danieli is spending his annual vacation with relatives in El Verano.

Arthur Baines has accepted a position at San Pedro and has departed for that place.

Mrs. J. Basileau and daughter are spending the week in Oakland visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hoffmeister of San Francisco are enjoying a visit at the O'Brien home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bomhoff visited in San Francisco and Stockton over the week end.

A large crowd of summer guests are expected to spend Labor Day at El Verano resorts.

Mrs. Fred Venton has been spending several days here from Oakland at the Andrews home.

Mrs. J. N. Beach and Mrs. Decker of Sonoma Vista have been visiting and shopping in San Francisco.

The St. Francis Hotel is the name given the new de luxe palace recently built by Louis Parente at Verano.

Miss A. Nonella and sister have returned to Point Arena, having been entertained here by relatives for several days.

Ben Pinder, Sonoma pioneer, was a welcome visitor in El Verano Saturday where he met many friends of the old days.

Mrs. A. Hollingsworth and other friends are spending a few weeks at the Tavern, where they have leased a cottage.

A carload of cement consigned to the county has been unloaded at the S. P. yards by Roadmaster Joe Revie's crew of men.

The J. M. Thomas family and guests are here from San Francisco, occupying their summer residence in western El Verano.

R. Johnson left Monday morning for Willits, where he will assist his father in harvesting a large acreage of rice at that place.

Chester Weaver left for Long Beach Monday where a position awaits him. He will reside with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Weaver who now reside in that city.

Mrs. A. Ellison and the Misses Ferguson and Ballinger of Oakland are vacationing at their beautiful summer bungalow in the picturesque environment of Nob Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fergonia, Sonoma Vista, were S. P. passengers for Oakland Saturday, where they went to look at property to be exchanged for their home in Sonoma Vista.

John Larson, our famous fisherman has caught the limit of striped bass twice recently at Black Point. Mr. Larson is the village's most expert hook and line artist and would rather fish than eat. John says the fish are running better than ever now and a good disciple of Isaac has little trouble in landing the beauties.

The writer has received cards from L. Geschwendt, formerly manager of Paul's Resort, who left on a camping trip, stating that he has arrived at Nelson, B. C. He reports a wonderful trip.

James Kearney and R. Johnson have returned after a motor trip to Vancouver. The motorists report a wonderful time and beautiful scenery, also good roads on the long trip. They were absent two weeks.

Many Sonoma Valley friends were grieved recently to hear of the death of M. Meek, who underwent an operation at San Francisco. Deceased had a home and resided in Sonoma Vista. A wife is left to mourn his death. The funeral will be held in San Francisco.

Jimmie Green, formerly of Sonoma, has joined our population, taking on some work at the Maxwell ranch and the new job is agreeing with Sonoma's Beau Brummel. Our new comer is widely known and El Verano welcomes the great globe trotter. It is thought that Shamos will settle in our old city, as he is tired of wandering around.

Mrs. M. Fish and Miss Beatrice, after a three months' vacation at Boyes Springs, will return to their home on Monday. They enjoyed their visit, Mr. Fish making week end visits from Alameda. Mrs. Fish is a former Sonoma girl, being the daughter of the pioneer Terry family, well known to old time settlers of the Valley. They will return next season.

Last week Miss Nellie O'Brien, whose residence is in the western foothills, started from the ranch to catch the bus to San Francisco. While driving up a grade, the seat of the rig in which she was riding gave way and Miss O'Brien was precipitated to the road, sustaining painful injuries to her back, which, however, were not serious. She is now recovering nicely.

The largest deer of the season was shot last Sunday in the vicinity of Fowler Creek in the western foothills when Jake Steckmeyer bagged a nice five pointer. The animal weighed 150 pounds and our champion hunter is receiving congratulations from his townsmen. Mr. Steckmeyer left a cut of the venison at the writer's office on Monday, which was thoroughly enjoyed. Archie extends many thanks.

The hottest wave ever known in Sonoma Valley has been experienced the last week end and for several days the thermometer registered 98. The Agua Caliente Springs had record crowds during the hot spell, many enjoying the plunge baths, which remained open until midnight, with music and dancing which made the famous Springs the mecca of many summer guests and residents. Tomorrow the El Camino Club of San Francisco will be at Caliente for the annual outing and picnic.

The annual outing and picnic of the Friendship Sangerbund Singing Society of San Francisco will be held at Oak Grove Resort Sunday and about 100 members will make the trip. A big time is planned for those who attend, with singing, dancing and other amusements on the program. An invitation is extended to the public Henry Koerner will stage a comeback when he gives the audience his initial song. He has been making weekly visits to San Francisco in preparation for this big event. Henry, in the old days, was some songbird and believes he is there yet as a songster, hence his coming debut.

El Verano has a distinguished guest this week, the King of the Hoboes, who has a camp at the stock yard jungles. The King of the Hoboes is comfortably located and is enjoying the Valley of the Moon. Our esteemed visitor has been hitting the ties for 50 years and is known as Tramp A-No. 2, his pal, Tramp A-No. 1, having been killed while boarding a train several years ago. The jungle buzzard sports a whiskerino most beautiful to behold and while hopping a train 10 years ago lost his right leg, so he is now hitting the grit with a wooden member. He claims he is the happiest man in the world, even though he is 70 years old.

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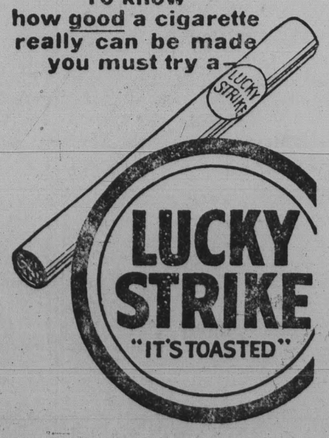

STATE REDWOOD GROVE TO BE DEDICATED

The Humboldt Pioneer Memorial Grove, a tract of primeval redwoods near Orick, Humboldt county, will be dedicated to public use on Sunday afternoon, September 2nd, at 2 oclock. The exercises will be simple and appropriate, and will be held under the giant trees of this grove, recently given to the state by Mrs. Zipporah Russ of Ferndale.

The exercises will be conducted by the Save the Redwoods League, through whom this gift was made. Governor Friend W. Rrichardson has been invited to be guest of honor. Dr. William F. Bade, Councillor of the Save the Redwoods League will deliver the main address. Dr. William F. Bade is past president of the Sierra Club and is engaged in the preparation of the Life and Letters of John Muir whose literary executor he was. Judge G.W. Hunter of Eureka will speak on behalf of the local community. Members of the Russ family will be present at the exercises, as well as number of Humbolt pioneers. The public has been invited to attend. A special invitation to participate has been extended to the Save the Redwoods League of Del Norte County and to the Women's Save the Redwoods League of Hambolt County.

The grove, which contains some of the finest and largest trees in the redwood belt, will become a unit in the system of State Redwood Parks. It contains 166 acres of Redwood and other timber on Prairie Creek, and and for three-eighths of a mile is traversed by the Redwood Highway lead ing from Orick to Cresent City. The grove is about 9 miles north of Orick, or about 360 miles north of San Francisco.

Italian Proverb.

When children are little they make our heads ache; when grown, our hearts.

Mrs. George Lowell spent several days in San Francisco shopping last week. She is entertaining her brother H. Weber of the Federal Reserve Bank. Weber now has his annual vacation and is being welcomed here by many old friends.

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VIEWED BIG PROJECT OF PACIFIC SERVICE

W. L. Murphy of the Sonoma Index-Tribune, was among the party of 200 newspaper men and officials who went to the Sierras last Saturday to view Lake Spaulding and the Spaulding Dam development project of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company.

While enroute Murphy stopped off at Summit and shook hands with Joe Andrieux, manager of the big Summit Hotel. Andrieux, formerly of Sonoma, is making a great success of the hotel. Mr. Murphy also chatted with Mrs. Emile Andrieux (Josie Steiner), Al Andreaggen and other former Sonoma folks.

The party went to the Sierra Nevada on a special train of 12 Pullmans Friday night and detrained Saturday morning at Summit where 45 automobiles were waiting for the cross-country run. Saturday's itinerary included a ride by way of Lake Van Norden, a Pacific Gas and Electric storage reservoir, to Lake Spaulding and an inspection of the two Spaulding power houses, and a ride by way of Emigrant Gap to Lookout Point where the company maintains an observation post along the state highway that commands a sweeping view of the surrounding country, to the Drum power house in the Bear Valley.

The newspaper men were dinner guests at the Drum power plant where there was also a program of music and speaking. Later in the evening they were driven to Colfax where their sleeping cars lay.

Sunday morning they said goodby to the sleepers and started by autos for the drive by the Halsey power house to the Wise power house in Auburn, incidentally seeing something of the irrigation made possible in the foothills through water the company supplies.

Wonderful development and expenditure of big capital was apparent to all who made the inspection trip.

The South Yuba and Bear River development, Lake Spaulding, was of unusual interest, and the building of the big engineering project was explained step by step. Lake Spaulding is one of a chain of storage reservoirs nestling in the Sierras four miles north of Emigrant Gap. It is now the largest storage unit of the Pacific Service System, and has a capacity of 24,315,000,000 gallons. The flooded area when the lake is full is 694 acres. The crest of the dam itself is 4875 feet above sea level. There are nineteen other storage reservoirs in what is known as the Drumm district, all of which empty into Spaulding. The total storage capacity of the Sutter-Yuba Water System is 37,537,000,000 gallons.

The water from the dam is conveyed by the tunnel into Bear Valley, down which it winds its way by open canal to Drum forebay reservoir on a ridge above Bear River gorge. From this point it is shot down a 1375 foot steep to the Drum power house, and after doing its duty by turning the water wheels it escapes into the Bear River again. Lower down the valley, at a point about a mile above Colfax, the water of the Bear River is diverted into a canal which marks the upper end of an irrigation system that takes care of thousands of acres of deciduous fruit lands in that fertile section of the Sacramento Valley. Incidentally, this water serves to operate the Halsey and Wise power houses. And now, at this time, the Pacific Gas and Electric Company's engineers are engaged in adding to the company's irrigating facilities below Auburn.

The former Tivnen house, purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brusky, is being nicely improved and they will move there after their return from Tubbs Island, where they have been with the haying crew.

WILL WATER ROUTE SAVE THE GRAPES OF STATE?

The steamer Tahiti arrived in San Francisco not long ago with an interesting cargo from Australia. It consisted paricularly of grapes and pears, and the fruit carried under refrigeration. The shippers were principally the growers' association of the Merbein district of Victoria and others from West Australia. The fruit was consigned to San Francisco in care of the brokerage firm of Davies and Turner and was evidently intended for this market. It appears, however, that neither the shipper nor the consignees were aware in advance of California state quarantine against Australian fresh fruit, and when notice of the expected arrival of the fruit was given to the quarantine department, notice was sent to the consignee in San Francisco that the fruit could not be disposed here because it was coming from a territory that might be affected by the Mediterranean fruit fly. This ultimatum, of course, disconcerted the consignees, and arrangements had to be made to move the grapes and pears for disposition elsewhere, than in California.

The consignees, however, desired to see the condition of the fruit cargo before loading and moving it elsewhere, and Mr. Compere of the quarantine department agreed to open a few boxes of the fruit on board the ship. It was an interesting inspection and the few who were given the privilege of looking at the fruit had to go aboard the Tahiti to see the boxes opened there, after which they were carefully nailed up again before being moved from the ship into a refrigerator car.

The grapes were particularly interesting, being of the Obanez variety which the Eastern market knows as the Almeria table grape. The boxes were labeled "Obanez Sunera," and they showed the contents to be 28 pounds net of grapes. The boxes were of hard wood and were separated by a center partition. The grapes werepacked in two compartments and were surrounded by granulated cork and covered with folds of white paper. There was practically no ventilation of the contents for the reason that the sides, tops and bottoms of the boxes showed no separation of the wood. In other words, there were practically no crack in the boxes at all. It might be further explained in connection with the grape boxes that they did not resemble at all the appearence of California lug boxes. They were about the same depth, but were much longer and a little wider. They were what you would call tight boxes, with no such appearence as the separated slats of our lug boxes. They resembled more than anything else the usual large boxes of raisins, and they were labeled on the ends with a lithograph sticker showing the name of the shipper, the district from which the fruit came and the net contents.

The log of the ship, as shown by the chief engineer, indicated that grapes were carried from Sydney to Tahiti at a temperature of 36 degrees F. and from Tahiti to San Francisco at a temperature of 40 degrees F.

When four boxes of these grapes were opened on board ship in the presence of Mr. Compere, Mr. Newcomb, the ship's officers, a representative of the California Grape Growers' Exchange and a few others, they showed up in beautiful condition, greatly to the surprise of everyone. Occasionally there would be found near the top of the boxes a broken berry which might have become soft and moldy, but, generally speaking, the bunches of grapes were in excellent condition and of very good taste, although low in sugar content. The berries were brittle and edible and looked as if they could easily stand further transportation to New York in refrigerator cars.

The journey from Sydney to San Francisco consumed 26 days and most of the cargo had been transported to Sydney by another steamer from a different port in Australia. This indicates that probably 35 days were consumed between the time of the picking of the grapes in Australia and the landing of them in San Francisco.

The arrival of this shipment of grapes teaches a lesson to California grape growers. It proves that waterway transportation under refrigeration is practical and feasible, even though the refrigeration may not be altogether modern. The chief engineer of the Tahiti explained that they simply used the brine or coil system of refrigeration in their chambers, but he further stated that they changed the air in the refrigerator holds every two days by letting in small quantities of outside air and taking out with suction fans the dead air of the chambers.

EL VERANO MAKES WAGER WITH A ROUGH RIDER

Betting may be a form of joking, but that doesn't explain why Herbert Klumpe isn't laughing today. Perhaps it is because his neck, limbs and entire physical well being are vitally concerned; perhaps it is only a fear of losing the $500 at stake that is worrying him.

Klumpe's complex came about in this way. He is a real San Franciscan loyal to every whim of anybody in the city, and has insisted in stalking about the town in the shade of the most ferocious model of the timely ten gallon pony express sombrero. He tops six feet by the same number of inches.

The other night one Fred Partridge a friend of Klumpe's, took notice of the hat and innocently remarked that in the days of '60 such a hat was a certain indication that its wearer was a real bad man, cow puncher, or rough rider. Klumpe, thinking he detected a slight sarcasm, replied that in these days such a hat had exactly the same meaning. Partridge inquired as to whether he referred to that particular hat and Klumpe replied that he did. Then Partridge said:

"On my ranch, about a mile and a half away from Boyes Springs, my wife has a real unbroken mustang. When I go within ten feet of him he kicks so hard that he blows my cap off. I bet you can't ride that mustang."

Klumpe put his hand up to his hat, and feeling assurance from its honest-to-goodness proportions, took the bet. The test will come off within two weeks and the stakes total $1000.

If Klumpe, who is proprietor of Herbert's Grill on Powell street, appears uninjured two weeks from today his friends will know that the probabilities are that he is $500 to the good.—San Francisco Examiner.

John J. McNeary, of the Examiner, will also ride.

WHITE SHELL CLUB TO ENJOY PICNIC

The White Shell Club, of which Mrs. F. Joost is president, will enjoy a picnic at Nuns Canyon on September 9th. The club comprises fifteen members and a number of honorary members. With their families, the White Shell folks will motor to the canyon and anticipate a fine day in the great out-of-doors.

WILL JUDGE DAIRY CATTLE

At the State Fair which opens at Sacramento today, Professor John C. McNutt will judge the dairy cattle.

Professor McNutt, head of the Animal Husbandry Department, University of New Hampshire, was born and raised on a farm near Ashtabula, O., and graduated from the Ohio State University in 1907. Since graduation he has managed a large stock farm, and has served as professor of animal husbandry and dairying at the North Carolina Agricultural College and as professor of animal husbandry at the Massachusetts Agricultural College.

He has been judging at eastern fairs for 17 years and is recognized on the official list of judges of the Holstein-Friesian Association, the American Jersey Cattle Club, Ayreshire Breeders' Association, American Guernsey Cattle Club and Shorthorn Breeders' Association.

Last year he made the awards at 16 fairs, totaling 3410 animals with money awards of $38,340.00. McNutt has an extensive schedule for this year, including the Canadian National Exposition, Eastern States Exposition, National Dairy Show and several state fairs.

The State Fair will continue all the coming week.

BOYS' BAND AND DRUM CORPS

P. C. Meinhardt, leader of the Sonoma Park Band, is organizing a boys' band and drum corps.

Here is a chance for all the boys in Sonoma Valley to get a free musical education.

Boyes interested, with their parents' consent, communicate with Mr. Meinhardt, 427 Napa street, Sonoma.

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JUDGE ROLFE L. THOMPSON

We agree with the contempoprary who says:

"The important attributes of a successful judge may be simply stated in a few words—sterling moral character, industry, thorough academic and professional education, business experience, freedom from conceit, courtesy, patience.

"All of these qualifications Judge Thompson has in an exceptional degree. His acquaintance is wide, and commands the respect of all who know him. Governor Richardson would make no mistake in choosing him for the Appellate bench."

Sonoma County is proud to offer the judicial timber we have had to offer California. As with Justice Emmet Seawell, however, the County would reluctantly part with Judge Thompson, but he is a man among men and a judge among judges and the larger field of service must sooner or later be his. The Governor will appoint no better man to any office during his administration should he elect to appoint Judge Thompson.

PEOPLE DRINK WHO NEVER DID BEFORE

That people drink who never did before prohibition and that they drink poor quality if not vile stuff, for which they pay fancy prices, there is no question. The Government gets no revenue, but is letting bootleggers get enormously rich. Most of these deal in inferior or adulterated liquor and no check upon their activities is possible. In scattered districts in the country, a few bootleggers are arrested, while others, through some hook or crook, "get by." In the cities which are infested by bootleggers, there is a pitiable attempt for big-salaried booze sniffers to make a showing. The present liquor situation is a crying evil. The Association Against Prohibition is pointing out some very pertinent facts concerning the present drift of things and the necessity of amending the Volstead Act.

Proponents of bone dry prohibition are beginning to admit that it is impossible to enforce the Volstead Act and that millions of persons now drinking illicit liquor never touched a drop before prohibition, according to W. W. Bedford, director of organization for the California Division, Association Against Prohibition, who cites an editorial appearing in a recent issue of the Anaheim Herald, a bone dry paper in bone dry Orange County, for his authority.

The editorial follows, in part:

"Men and women, who, until the adoption of the Eighteenth Amendment, never touched alcohol in even its mildest forms, have become heavy drinkers.

This statemen ,taccording to Bedford, also is borne out, by arrests for drunkenness in San Francisco. Seventy-seven hundred and thirty-eight arrests for drunkenness were reported by Chief of Police Daniel O'Brien for 1922-23, as against 7261 in 1921-22. Of this number 157 motorists were arrested in the last year on the charge of driving while intoxicated. This was an increase of 96 over the previous year.

A more recent check-up on the police courts show that on August 6th there were 55 drunks called to account before Police Judge Lazarus, thereby setting a record for one day.

"These statistics and opinions should make the liberal citizens of this State think over the situation pretty thoroughly," Bedford said. "They provide a direct slap in the face to the statements being made by the prohibitionists as to the decrease in drinking and crime. San Francisco is not in a class by itself as far as crime or drinking is concerned. It is typical of the larger cities of the United States. During the month of June, Sacramento reported more arrests for drunkenness than for any other offense. Other cities too numerous to mention in California and also throughout the nation reported similar statistics.

"It is time we quit joking ourselves and at prohibition, and offered some constructive change that would be acceptablbe to the country at large and which would do away with the present bootlegging evil. That change is modification or repeai of the Volstead Act which would permit the use and sale of light wines and beers, and would settle the prohibition controversy for all time."

Dr. and Mrs. Hays have been enjoying a motor vacation down the peninsula and around the bay.

VALLEY OF MOON LODGE PICNIC ON SEPT. 16th

The Valley of the Moon Lodge is a new organization which expects to shortly be granted a charter by one of the leading fraternal orders of America. Its members will gather at a social picnic at Schuhmann Resort, in Buena Vista, on Sunday, Sept. 16th. The music for dancing will be furnished by members of the Sonoma Park Band. Games, prizes and good eats will keep the merry picnickers happy, and a big crowd is expected.

STOLE COAT FROM ELDRIDGE LADY

(From Santa Rosa Republican)

Bill Valenzuela, 22 years old, was sentenced to a term of 180 days in the county jail Saturdaywhen he appeared before Police Judge Charles N. Collins and pleaded guilty to a charge of petty larceny in connection with the theft of a fur coat from an automobile belong ing to Mrs.E. Margaret Groves of Eldridge.

Valenzuela, who was arrested Friday night after a spectacular chase in which Mrs. Groves acted as arresting officer, broke down and admitted the theft. The confession came when he was confronted by Miss Elaine Babbino, from whom he had previously stolen a red sweater which he was wearing.

Mrs. Marjorie Fisk and daughter, Phyllis, of Pacific Grove, are enjoying a stay at the Buchan home here, Mrs. Fisk having rented her home furnished to Monterey county tourists for a short time.

Looking Forward

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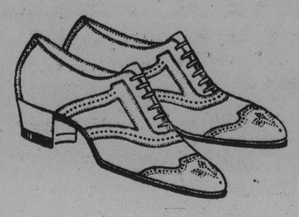

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YOUTHFUL RIDER, ARMED, IS TAKEN BY OFFICERS

(From Healdsbburg Tribune)

A rifle slung across has saddle in true desperado style, a cased, but dangerous knife at his belt, a youthful rider from the Valley of the Moon was arrested just south of Healdsburg on Thursday of last week, mounted on the horse fro whose alleged theft from the Joe Keiser ranch in Bennett Valley he had been sought by officers all night.

Apparently not al all concerned by the possibility of capture, the boy, who gave the name of Joaquin, and is said to be a former inmate of the Eldridge home, was riding boldly along the highway. When word that he was being sought by the county authorities reached Marshal James V. Mason, the latter had already received information to the effect that Joaquin, a quarter-bred Indian, was riding toward this city. Constable Oscar Tellefson and Deputy Sheriff Bob Dickson picked him up a short time later. The youth was lodged in the city jail until Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan of Sonoma arrived and took him to the county jail.

The boy was riding toward Hopland, he told the authorities. Although equipped with rifle and knife, he made no effort at resistance, and meekly gave himself up to the officers. He is presumed by the police to have stolen the gun and knife.

Friends of Mrs. Eloisa Raschen and her sister, Miss Paulina Pauli, of San Francisco, have received word of a lovely trip taken by these former Sonoma ladies this summer. They went south on the steamer to Los Angeles, stopped over at Catalina and then took auto to San Diego, coming back by the Coast route.

VINEBURG NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Monk and sons Albert and Clifford are now enjoying a vacation at the Summet Hotel, one of the Sierra Nevada's pioneer resorts

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Ellenberger and little daughter Helen, of Santa Clara are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Batto and Miss Adele Andrieux.

Miss Katie Bosch, formerly of Vineburg, but now holding an important position at the Napa State Hospital, was the week end guest of her mother Mrs. Peter Bosch at the old home.

A farewell party was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Bacher, "Leghorn Grove" on Sunday in honor of Misses Irene Moresco and Marie Andreggen. The reception and dining rooms were artistically decorated with gay streamers and orchids. During the evening the guests of honor, both fine vocalists, rendered several beautiful selections. At midnight a fine repast was served and was enjoyed by all. Those present were Mesdames Anthenian, John Roeder, H. Roeder, and E. Bacher. Messrs Theo Anthenian, John Roeder, H. Roeder, and H. Johnson. Misses Edna Roeder, Ruth Allen, Irene Moresco, S Roeder and Marie Andreggen

After a 10 days camping trip to the Sierra's and through Nevada to Carson and Reno, four of Vineburg's most popular sportsmen, Harry Cordell, Kenneth Roeder, Pierre Rouquet and Ted Anthenian returned Wednesday, all looking fine and healthy and report fine fishing and 'Dear' hunting They fished in the day time and hunted dears after dark, that is the best time in Nevada to land them. My assistant, Jessie Jayne of Kieserville will write up their trip in the near future.

Messre Fred Batto, F. Picetti and August Figone motored to the Summit Thursday and at Sacramento were joined by Kennith Street, and the party will be gone several days.

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30x3½	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$14.45
31x4	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$18.60
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32x4	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$20.45
33x4	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$21.15
34x4	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$21.70
32x4½	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$26.55
33x4½	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$27.15
34x4½	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$27.80
33x5	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$33.05
34x5	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$33.90
35x5	Goodyear SS Wingfoot Cord	$34.65

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30x3½	Tires	$8.50	30x3½	Tires	$9.75
COAST CORDS			**UNITED STATES G. & J. OVERSIZE CORDS**		
30x3½	Tires	$11.90	30x3½	Cords	$11.95
COAST HEAVY OVERSIZE			32x4	Cords	$19.50
32x3½	Tires	$19.50	34x4	Cords	$20.50
32x4	Tires	$25.75			
34x4	Tires	$27.25			

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AGUA CALIENTE ITEMS

The Frozen Beauty of Agua Caliente has left us and everything is quiet and peaceful in the old town once more. An Oakland man has leased the Beauty for exhibition purposes and she will probably be a feature out at the Cliff House during the winter. According to the terms of the lease, the petrified woman will be returned to Agua Caliente by the first of March.

The Spreckels ranch will have an entry in the $50,000 horse race at Tanforan in November.

For ten years a pensioner, Ed Perkins' old horse, Buster, died on last Thursday.

A fire on the Wattress ranch caused by the N. W. P. train on a siding, burned over about two acres.

On account of the construction of the new highway and the close of the Santa Rosa road, the Agua Caliente Service Station will close shortly after the first of the month.

Mr. Morgan, formerly a plumber at Boyes Springs, was in town this week looking for a ranch. Morgan is a booster and believes in the future of the valley.

The Swiss-Italian Hotel has installed a $1500 player piano, purchased of a Santa Rosa firm. Johnnie has made a lot of friends this summer and all are glad that he has decided to stay with us another year.

Mr. Long, of the San Francisco Syrup Company, is on the register at Corcoran's.

Dr. and Mrs. M. Whipple of Los Angeles were week end visitors at the White bungalow.

Mrs. Ed Steiger was a southbound passenger last Saturday afternoon on the N. W. P.

SCHELLVILLE ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. H. Steiman spent Monday with friends at Vallejo.

Elmer Peterson presented Mrs. Peterson with a new Ford touring car on Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Richardson is home after a vacation with San Francisco relatives.

Mrs. Clements, Sr., left Saturday for a visit with relatives at Sunnyvale.

Many neighbors viewed the five-point buck which Howard Knight brought home Saturday.

Eddie Vogler is home after a visit with his parents.

Mesdames H. Knight and E. Peterson with their children, motored to Petaluma Saturday, where they spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hammerick and Mr. Chamberlain were business visitors in the Russian River district recently.

Mesdames W. Minkel, H. Weise, S. Weise, M. Akers and Miss H. Dutton motored to St. Helena Wednesday, where they spent the day.

Mrs. Hall, of the former VanDever place, was a San Francisco visitor on Wednesday.

Mrs. Stoneberg was looking over property interests here Monday.

The Bosch boys are working on their fine crop of prunes.

The J. I. Keiser folks were recent motorists to Napa and vicinity.

The R. W. Rexes, former residents here, are now engaged in the grocery business in Los Angeles.

Jack Brendel of Lompoc passed through here last Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Schell and Miss Nevada have returned to their home here after a brief visit in San Francisco.

James Kearney passed through here Saturday, enroute to Oakland to visit relatives.

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AUTO TIRES AND THE TIRE WAR

S. A. Robinson, Sonoma's leading tire merchant, spent Thursday in San Francisco, interviewing the Pacific Coast managers of several large rubber companies. All the managers are agreed that the present tire war is the result of over-production and improper merchandising systems. It is evident that tires and tubes will be sold in the future through tire merchants, instead of every Tom, Dick and Harry.

An extensive advertising campaign is to be launched, educating the motoring public as to the different qualities and sizes of tires.

While several large factories have closed down on production, it is of interest to note that the United States Rubber Company is the only manufacturer that has made any real improvement in tires and tubes in the last year. The most important improvements made by this company are as follows:

Latex rubber, where a 100 per cent solution of rubber is obtained, free from chemicals and grit.

The web cord, where every cord in the carcass of a tire is of equal length and strength.

Flat band building, which eliminates cord separation and buckling.

These three processec combined undoubtedly make the best tire and the best value the motoring public has ever been offered. Mr. Robinson states that his business has increased 100 per cent during the last six months on account of the demand for good tires.—adv.

SAW "COVERED WAGON" WHILE IN THE SOUTH

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lindley and son had a trip South brimful of interest. While in Los Angeles, they saw the picturization of Emerson Hough's "Covered Wagon," which Mr. Lindley pronounces very fine. It is a three hour show, the screen picture being supplemented by real Indians which give a colorful life-like Western touch to this great film story.

Mr. Lindley has his mother and brother and sister residing at Venice, his mother being interested in a business concession on the pier.

The Sonoma city official naturally took a keen interest and made a close survey of cities enroute and declares that auto camps are a modern necessity for any live California town. Lindley also commends band concerts such as he heard while at Paso Robles as a decided civic asset and attraction.

SONOMA MISSION PUBLICITY

Sonoma Valley is still getting publicity as a result of the Mission Centennial. In Wednesday evening's Oakland Tribune pictorial section was a picture of Archbishop Hanna and priests assisting at the ceremonies here this Fourth of July. The Sonoma Mission was once again brought to the minds of tourists. Oevr 2600 visitors have registered the past three months, says Caretaker Borie.

HOSTESS AT THEATRE PARTY

Miss Sabina Sebastiani gave a theatre party at the Hippodrome one evening this week to a few of her girl friends. Among those in the party were Misses Beth Lane, Lucile Hammerstein, Blanche and May Bianchini. They motored over in the Sebastiani limousine.

SONOMA SPORTS ATTEND FIGHT

Judge Small, Harry Fine and Attorney Frank Sprague motored to San Francisco Wednesday night to see the prize fight in which Lee, the colored protege of George Cavaglia, was a contender. Lee lost.

SERVICE AT TRINITY CHURCH

Trinity Episcopal church, Sonoma, holds services every third Sunday at 7:30 p. m.

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BAPTISMAL RECEPTION AT THE NONELLA HOME

The beautiful infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Montini of Point Reyes was baptized at the St. Francis church Sunday afternoon, August 26, at 2 o'clock, Rev. Father Byrne officiating at the baptismal service. The baby girl was christened Frances Marian Aleta Montini. Miss Anna Gervasoni was godmother to the little one, and Basil Montini stood as godfather.

After the christening, relatives and friends enjoyed a wonderful ravioli and chicken dinner at the Nonella home in El Verano. The menu was done full justice to by the fortunate guests and everyone voted the hostesses, Mrs. Nonella and Mrs. William Montini, past masters in the culinary art, particularly the Italian dishes.

Among those who participated in this joyous event were the following: Mrs. Lulu V. Emparan, Mr. and Mrs. Bononni and family of Point Reyes; Mrs. C. Gervasoni, Petaluma; Basil Montini; Mrs. Bionda, Petaluma; Mrs. A. Crivelli and infant daughter; Paul Nonella, Petaluma; J. Steckmeyer; Mr. and Mrs. Nonella; Ernest Pedrelli, Vallejo; Mr. and Mrs. William Montini, Point Reyes; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nonella and family, of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. Marioni and sons, Guito and Walter of Pittsburg; Misses Jackie and Anita Steckmeyer; Mrs. Louise Nonella and Miss A. Nonella of Point Reyes.

Mrs. William Montini and little daughter, Frances, accompanied by Miss A. Nonella of Point Reyes, have been spending the past week at the family residence in El Verano with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nonella

GOOD ROADS BOOSTER MOTORS FROM NAPA

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. DuBois, who own a fine ranch just over the county line between here and Napa, were visitors here Wednesday. Mr. Du Bois is a good roads booster and came over to visit his neighboring city Sonoma, to see how the going was. He says with emphasis, that our roads could be better, both state highway which could and should be paved and the county stretch near Vineburg, which should be fixed or dynamited.

Mr. DuBois raised the pertinent question as to the economic side of upkeep on the unpaved section of the Black Point cut-off. He believes that the upkeep on the present dirt road would pay interest on enough to pave the highway from Fairville to the Napa county line.

Highway Commissioner Toy might give this thought some consideration although the Highway Commission of which he is chairman must be congratulated on the good shape in which this stretch of road is maintained.

EASTERN STAR JUBILEE

Elaborate plans are being perfected to entertain delegates and visitors to the 50th annual convention and the Golden Jubilee of the Order of Eastern Star, at San Francisco, October 16 to 19. Mrs. D. E. F. Easton, junior past grand matron of the Order, is general chairman of the convention committee which has opened headquarters in the Whitcomb Hotel. More than 10,000 voting delegates and their friends from all sections of the state are expected.

Mrs M. Golton, Worthy Matron of Valley of the Moon Chapter, will attend.

Mrs. Al Kerner has been quite ill at her home. Friends throughout the Sonoma Valley regret to hear of Mrs. Kerner's indisposition. This good woman is a veritable community mother, being present at weddings, births and christenings, funerals, lodge affairs and events sad or gay, always doing her bit for some one. It is hoped that Mrs. Kerner's illness will be of short duration.

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The Studebaker closed cars have beautiful lines and all the dependable specifications of the Studebaker family. Mr. Blomgren has a number of prominent Sonoma Valley people looking at various models at the present time and expects to sell several Studebakers of the closed type in the near future.

LEARN PROPER SIGNALS NEW MOTOR LAW

California mortorist will be required to give more careful attention to the subject of signaling and the use of mechanical signaling device when the new California Vehicle Act becomes effective at midnight August 31, according to George E. Sandford, genera! attorney of the California State Automobile Association who has just made a digest of the provisions in the act relating to signaling.

Stringent provision on the subject of signaling are incorporated in the new act, according to Sandford,and define clearly the duty of the motor vehicle operator in indicating his intention to start, turn or stop. The method of giving arm signals is explained and the requirements of mechanical signals definitely stipulated.

Sandford's digest of the California Vehicle Act which the AutomobileAssociation was intrumental in drafting and passing through the State legislature gives the following information on the subject of signaling.

It is provided in substance by Section 130 of the act that when the driver of any vehicle intends to start turn or stop he must first see that the movement can be made in safety. If it cannot he must wait. When he is ready to execute such a movement he must give a signal plainly visible to the operator of any vehicle which may be affected by his movements.

The act provides that such signaling may be given by the hand in the manner described below or by the use of a mechanical or electrical device approved by the State Motor Vehicle Department. The following provisions govern the use of hand and arm signal.

1. In turning to the Left: Extend the arm and hand to the left horizontally from and beyond the left side of the vehicle.

2. In turning to the Right: Extend the arm and hand upward and beyond the left side of the vehicle.

3. In stopping or suddenly decreasing speed: Extend the hand and arm downward and beyond the left side of the vehicle.

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When the editor of the Sonoma Index-Tribune left the S. P. sleeping car at Colfax last Sunday morning, with the P. G. & E. excursion, his stick pin, valued as a keepsake, was forgotten. The pin had been stuck in the curtain of the berth and its owner walked off without it. Several hours later the piece of jewelry was missed and ye editor telephoned to the S. P. agent at Colfax, who assured him the Company would try to locate it.

Tuesday the pin was sent to Sonoma in a registered parcel accompanied by a polite note. Needless to say, the editor was much pleased and wrote to the S. P., expressing thanks and appreciation.

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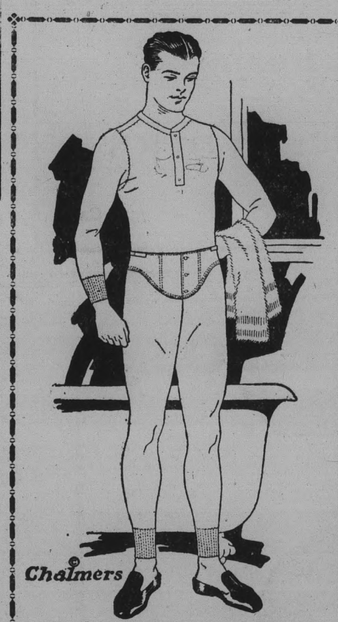

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MESSAGE FROM COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Sonoma county has 155 schools, which is third from the largest number in any county in the State of California. Owing to the prejudice that has prevailed in this county against consolidation of schools, we are maintaining more one-teacher schools than any county in California, at a much greater cost to the taxpayers. Only by consolidation of the smaller schools can we hope to cut down taxes as every one room school has, by state law, an apportionment of $1400 plus $10.38 per pupil in average daily attendance.

There are at present 30 schools with less than 10 pupils in average attendance. These 30 schools take from the taxpayers from $1400 to $1500 to maintain each school for one year. It actually cost $41,496.05 for the care of 232 children during this last year. One can easily figure out the cost of educating each child in these schools when in one of our larger schools of the county it cost only $51.85 per pupil. How much cheaper it would be to pay a reliable father or mother to take their own and their neighbors' children to a union school where the boys and girls can get the advantages of an up-to-date school. Our boys and girls are living under different conditions than their grandfathers lived and if they are to make a success of life they must have the best educational opportunities.

What chance does the child in a four or five pupil school have in comparison to those educated in a modern school? What part does competition and association have in the class room? Will any one be surprised to learn that a seventh grade boy in a school not eight miles from Santa Rosa had never been in a public meeting and had never seen a curtain raised and lowered until a short time ago? When the achievement tests were given in that school it was proven that the three seventh grade boys only had third and fourth grade knowledge. These three boys have just as good minds as other seventh grade boys in the county, but lack the opportunities of other boys of their own age.

The State Department apportions funds according to the number of schools and extra teachers needed. The same amount is given for special teachers for every 300 children in any one elementary school and a similar amount is apportioned to the Emergency and Supervision Fund in each county for every 500 children in schools having less than 300 in average attendance.

The first fund provides special teachers for our larger schools while the latter fund provides supervisors for the smaller schools. This supervision fund has been accumulating in this county so that there is sufficient to let the rural schools of Sonoma county have excellent supervision without one added cent to the taxpayers. In addition to the Supervisor of Agriculture and Americanization, we have secured the services of three most capable women as helping teachers, who will be located in three separate parts of the county (Petaluma, Sebastopol and Healdsburg) where each will be given approximately 48 rural schools.

All have had special training for this work. They will visit schools at least every six weeks and be a friend to all teachers and all boys and girls. They hope to study the children individually, help grade them and see that all schools are given the best opportunity that can be secured under rural conditions.

Miss Elizabeth Richards, who will have charge of the Sebastopol section is a California woman who until recently was county superintendent of Nevada county. Miss Richards received her degree from Columbia University and was trained for rural supervision work.

Miss Alice Florer will be in charge of the 45 schools in the northern part of the county, with headquarters at Healdsburg. She holds a diploma as director of rural education from the Columbia University and has a Bachelor's and Master's degree from that institution. She has taught in rural, city and state normal schools; has been a county superintendent, state supervisor of rural and town schools, and assistant state superintendent of schools in Nebraska. Miss Florer has worked extensively in institute work and will be a great help to the teachers of Sonoma county.

Miss Nellie Sanborn Towle, who will have charge of the Petaluma and Sonoma section, comes to us from the Chico State Teachers' College in our own state, where she has been a supervisor. She has been trained in the two universities that specialize in supervisory work: Chicago and Columbia, and holds both Bachelor and Master degrees. Her excellent experience will be of help in bringing up the schools of Sonoma county.

I trust these supervisors will receive the strong support of our good people in Sonoma county and that all will co-operate in bringing the small schools together as has been done in nearly every other county in the state. We want to give our boys and girls greater advantages and at the same time reduce the heavy taxes.

LOUISE CLARK,
Co. Supt. of Schools.

RAPID PROGRESS ON THE NEW CARQUINEZ BRIDGE

Construction work on the Carquinez Straits bridge, the $4,000,000 structure that will connect the northern and central California and open up for development the great Superior California territory in Napa, Lake, Sonoma and Solano counties is progressing at rapid pace.

Work will begin next week on the great 3700 ton concrete cylinders that will support the great central pier of the bridge and the Solano shore pier will be under construction a week later.

Grading of the roadway to the Solano bridgehead is about completed and the great 10 acre concourse and esplanade leveled and ready for surfacing.

The American Toll Bridge Company engineers are working on the final detail plans in New York and expect to have them completed within two weeks.

Duncanson and Harrellson, contractors, have obtained the Benicia Shipbuilding plant at Benicia for the construction of the concrete cylinders which will be the largest ever cast in California.

The cylinders will be 40 feet in diameter and 150 feet long. They will contain 30 tons of steel and will, when completed, weigh 3700 tons.

MRS. ARTHUR DRAKE IS HOSTESS AT BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. Arthur Drake of Santa Rosa entertained one afternoon last week at a bridge party, inviting for her affair about 25 or more guests. Her hospitality was extended at her apartment in the Livernash building. The rooms where her guests were entertained were very prettily decorated in marigolds, zinnias, coreopsis and five-fingered ferns. At the conclusion of the games, an elaborate tea was served on trays, decorated with coreopsis and ferns.

Miss Inez Reed of Sonoma is a house guest of Mrs. Drake.

Prizes were won by Mrs. Miholovich, Mrs. Ted Nelson and Miss Mattie Stewart. The hostess arranged a very pleasing innovation for the guests by planning for a radio concert which was given during the refreshment period—Santa Rosa Press-Democrat.

BARBECUE AT MORRIS RANCH

On Wednesday evening of last week a merry party of the nurses and physicians from the Hillside Hospital motored to the Morris ranch at Sonoma where a venison barbecue was enjoyed.

Dr. Russell Morris was fortunate enough to secure a deer recently which was served in the form of a barbecue to his friends, those present being Mrs. Johanna Peterson, Mrs. Hansen, Miss Hood, Miss Roe, Mrs. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Von Smster, Dr. A. R. Elder, Mr. and Mrs. M. Poehlman, Dr. Russell Morris and family.

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LOST—Bunch of keys. $2 reward for return to E. Markle, care Radio Electric Shop, Phone 68-W, Sebastiani Bldgg., Sonoma. 2 1tc

FOR SALE—Player piano, Andrew Kohler, in fine condition, with records. John Fox ranch. 2?

PROMINENT PIONEER'S DAUGHTER A VISITOR

Mrs. Henry Ellsworth of San Francisco has been the guest of her former school chum, Mrs. F. E. Elkins, Buena Vista, the past few days. Mrs. Ellsworth is the daughter of the late Judge Frank Shattuck, of Petaluma, and was educated in the public schools of our neighboring city. Many old-timers here remember her, as she often visited her grandfather, Judge Shattuck, the Spencers and other relatives when she was the lovely Miss Lee Shattuck.

E. COATES HAS TIRE SALE

E. Coates, authorized Goodyear dealer in Sonoma and vicinity, is celebrating his fifth continuous year in selling this popular tire by offering Goodyears at unheard of low prices, and has ordered big stocks to take care of the increased demand this sale will create for the world's most popular tire.

FIRE ENDANGERED PROPERTY SUNDAY

A fire at the east end of the Main and Mouyer properties at Verano communicated to fences and was burning lively when discovered at 2:30 o'clock last Sunday morning. The Boyes Springs and Valley Fire Department was summoned and made quick work of putting out the blaze.

DEATH OF MRS. ALTIMIRA

Sonoma friends were saddened to hear of the death of Mrs. Maria Pont Altimira, wife of J. Altimira, former resident. She died in San Francisco at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cunha, on August 18th, and was buried at Holy Cross cemetery.

Decease was 55 years of age and a native of Spain. Stricken with paralysis for six months, death brought eternal peace to this patient sufferer.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

John Maurel has been in San Francisco consulting physicians at the University of California Hospital in hope of recovering his health. Mr. Maurel has many friends in Sonoma Valley and also in San Francisco who hope he will be benefiitted at the hospital.

Mrs. Henry Wicker was hostess at a porch party on Thursday afternoon of last week, entertaining Mrs. Addie Ramsdell, Mr. and Mrs. June Davis, Charles Rogers, all of San Francisco, and Mrs. Walter Murphy.

Fred Atzel and wife of Ohio, who are on a prolonged auto camping trip, are visiting the L. P. Frecks at El Verano. The travelers are old friends of Mr. Freck who lures all his acquaintances from the East to our Valley of the Moon.

Mrs. Hatton will entertain the Flying Needles on next Wednesday at her pretty garden west of town.

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WINE GRAPES WILL BRING GOOD PRICE THIS YEAR

Wine grape prices this year will be as strong, or nearly so, as those of last season, in the opinion of E. B. Strong, Jr., of the Pacific Fruit Exchange which annually handles hundreds of tons of grapes from this section.

In the fall of 1923 Zinfandel grapes shipped by the Pacific Fruit Exchange to the eastern markets sold at prices to net the grower about $100 per ton despite the fact that 30 per cent of the Zinfandels shipped were sent across the continent in box cars, due to the refrigerator car shortage.

Other buyers, and many vineyardist, have expressed the opinion that the grape market will be established at a lower level in the coming season because of the tremendous crop, one of the largest ever produced in California, now ripening on the vines, The California Grape Growers' Exchange, early in the year, set a 1923 price at a considerable reduction from the shipping price of the year before, and early bids in various sections of the state have been at lower figures, running around $55 to $65 for Zinfandels and slightly higher for high color grapes.

Shipping conditions for Sonoma Valley looks much better than last year. Many refrigerator cars are already switched on sidings at Wingo, Black Point and elsewhere, waiting to be packed and moved.

MANY GUESTS AT KENWOOD SPRINGS

Kenwood Springs in the Sonoma Valley which was purchased by Mrs. M. Strickland and her son of Healdsburg, this year is prospering finely according to Mrs. Strickland who was here for the week end looking after property interests and endeavoring to get some help for the resort which is running shorthanded in the dining room and kitchen. The season has seena large number of guest. A new swimming pool is built and affords new pleasure to the guest. —Healdsburg Tribune.

John Gottenberg, old resident and authority on floriculture, has returned from a pleasant visit with relatives in Alameda county.

Misses Alice Young and M. Chester spent a delightful vacation at Yosemite this summer.

Mr. ad Mrs. Roy Nelson and baby of San Francisco have been visiting Mrs. Hiser and daughter on Broadway.

F. E. Elkins, former newspaper man but now an orchardist of Buena Vista, presented this office with a box of peaches this week whose quality and flavor prove Mr. Elkins' success in horticulture.

Tonight at Watmaugh School a social dance will be held under the auspices of the Watmaugh Community Club. Everybody welcome.

St. Barbara's Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Neal Dodge on Tuesday, Sept. 4th.

Mrs. Darby and her little granddaughter Callie Lea, from Kansas City, Mo., have come from their home there to spend the winter in Sonoma Valley with Mrs. Darby's daughter Mrs. F. Bettencourt, of Buena Vista.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA.

In the Matter of the Estate of MARY J. GRAHAM, sometimes known as Mary C. Graham, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned as administratrix of the estate of Mary J. Graham, sometimes known as Mary C. Graham, deceased, will sell on behalf of the estate of said deceased, at private sale on or after Wednesday, the 22nd day of August, 1923, to the highest bidder for cash, in lawful money of the United States of America, as a whole, the following described real property;

All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the Town of El Verano, County of Sonoma, State of California, and known and designated on the amended map of said Town, filed in the

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE OF REAL ESTATE

WHEREAS, On the 12th day of July, 1921, Umberto Peracca and Maria Peracca, his wife, and Gaetano Allamanno, made and executed and delivered a certain deed of trust to the Bank of Pinole, a corporation, wherein said Umberto Peracca and Maria Peracca, his wife, and Gaetano Allamanno were designated as parties of the first part, and the undersigned, E. M. Downer and L. E. Hart, of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, were designated as trustees and parties of the second part, and said Bank of Pinole was designated as party of the third part, as security for the payment by said Umberto Peracca, Maria Peracca and Gaetano Allamanno of certain sums with interest growing due thereon as recited and set out in said deed of trust, which said deed of trust was recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Sonoma, State of California, on the 21st day of July, 1921, in Vol. 401 of Deeds, at Page 142, Records of said Sonoma County.

And whereas, said Umberto Peracca, Maria Peracca and Gaetano Allamanno, the parties of the first part in said deed of trust have defaulted in the repayment of certain sums and the interest thereon secured by and to be repaid as provided in and by said deed of trust, and the said Bank of Pinole has declared the whole of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust to be due and payable and has requested and directed the undersigned as grantees and trustees named in said deed of trust to sell the real property hereinafter described and being the real property described in said deed of trust to satisfy said indebtedness, and has caused to be recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Sonoma, a notice of breach and election to foreclose,

And whereas, more than three months have expired subsequently thereto,

NOW THEREFORE, in accordance with the terms and under the authority of said deed of trust and in pursuance of the request and direction of the owner and holder of said deed of trust and of the promissory note in said deed of trust referred to, to secure the payment of which the aforesaid deed of trust was executed, the said E. M. Downer and L. E. Hart as such parties of the second part and trustees, hereby give notice that on Tuesday, the 25th day of September, 1923, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., of that day, at the front door of the Court House in the town of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, State of California, they will sell, as such grantees and trustees, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in gold coin of the United States, that certain piece parcel, tract and lot of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Sonoma, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered Four (4), Five (5), Six (6), Seven (7), Fourteen (14), Fifteen (15), and Sixteen (16), of Section Twenty-six (26), in Township Six (6) north of range Six (6) West, Mount Diablo Meridian, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, containing 90.73 acres.

Together with all the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or appertaining and the reversion and remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof; and also all the estate, right, title and interest or other claim or demand as well in law as in equity which the said trustees now have, or may hereafter acquire, of, in or to the said premises or any part thereof with the appurtenances.

Terms of Sale—Cash in gold coin of the United States.

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Dated August 28, 1923.

E. M. DOWNER,
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